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A Total Eclipse.

Any man can produce a total eclipse of the sun, so far as he himself is concerned, by holding a dollar close to his eye. The total eclipse of health is often produced in much the same way, by letting the dollar shut out from view all other things and interests.

A great many people pay for wealth with health and admit at last that they have made a poor bargain. In the chase of the dollar people are too eager to take time to eat regularly or choose proper food, the stomach becomes disordered or diseased, the food eaten ceases to nourish, and physical breakdown comes.

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"I suffered for four years with pain in my stomach so that at times I couldn't work or eat," writes Mr. Frank Smith, of Granite, Claiborne Co., Colo. "I wrote to you about my sickness and was told to use your medicine, which I did with good results. I only used four bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery' and must say that I am entirely cured, and feel like a new man, and I can highly recommend your medicine to any sufferer."

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THE "3 DAYS" CURE

(For Men.)

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FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS.

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Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company,

MANUFACTURERS OF Fertilizers, Fertilizer Materials and Blue Windsor Ground Plaster, PRINCESS STREET, BETWEEN UNION AND LEE.

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THIRTY ACRES OF LAND

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D. HARRY APPICH,

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The most choice delicacies in the line of Cakes, Pastry, Confections, &c. Special inducements for the country trade.

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NOT A WHITE MAN'S COUNTRY.

Representative H. D. Green of Pennsylvania has just returned to Washington from the Orient. He was of the Congressional party that visited the Philippines, China, and Japan during the past five months. In that time he traveled thirty-three thousand miles, of which twenty-two thousand was on water. Speaking of the Philippine Islands last night he said: "If the islands were given to me in free simple on condition that I should spend the rest of my days over there I would not accept them. It is not a white man's country. I could not live there, and my life is no better than those of our brave boys who are on the islands defending the flag."

A Smith College graduate of last June, Miss Belinda M. Hull, of New Haven, Conn., has just written another letter from the Philippines, where she and other graduates of Smith College, the Harvard annex, and similar institutions are teaching under Government supervision, and her more recent experiences are more thrilling than those recorded in her first letter. The letter is dated Valadolid, Occidental Negros, P. I., October 12, 1901. She says that from her experience there is no United States greenback in that island. "One thing," she continues, "that I shall be glad to escape from, besides the bad smells and bad morals of these islands will be the dirty money. The change for a good \$10 bill weighs as much as a locomotive. If I had fully realized the disadvantage in these islands before leaving home, I believe I should have hesitated about accepting this post on." This Smith College girl, nevertheless, says she will stay it out until her two years have expired. She tells about her experience with rats in the house where she now lives. This is what she says: "It is simply running over with rats. I stood it until I felt them tugging at the straps of my army coat, when I concluded that it was time for me to move out unless I wanted to find myself in some rat hole in the morning. I took up my bed, so to speak, and walked. After locating myself in the main room, I again attempted to gain a little needed sleep, when to my horror the ants ran up the legs of my cot and then crawled all over me and bit. But that is not a circumstance to having a rat run over your body. I woke up last night in the midst of a fearful noise. I thought insects were trying to break in to murder us, but found that it was only the rats holding high carnival and the cat adding to the tumult by growling and throwing herself against a closed door. And then I felt a rat running right up my body outside the blanket from my feet toward my head. That was more than I could put up with patiently, for, like the major in the 'Pied Piper of Hamelin,' anything like this kind of a rat makes my heart go pit-a-pat. So yesterday morning I bought a box of rat poison (price 80 cents), and if there is not another mailed to the natural ones of this country it will be because rats go way off and die. When I went into my room to dress yesterday morning I found my tooth mug and brush on the floor, the cake of soap chewed up, a candle three quarters eaten, while the calendar pad on my Cornellian calendar was pulled right off in order that the rat might get at the paste. But that was not the worst. At least half the rats on my commencement hat were eaten off and the hat otherwise ruined. What do you think of that for pests? And if I should try to tell you the walls and the corners that get into the trucks and chew up the clothes, and of all the black, red and dapple grey ants that get into everything you would be glad that you are a resident of a temperate zone. Besides all this, I have recently discovered nice, large white worms with brown heads in the biscuits that our trusty cook buys from the Chinamen, but I am becoming so accustomed to filth and pests that I merely put aside the part containing the worm and go on with my eating without remark."

BABY WHO MAY BE KING.—A son has been born to the Princess of the Asturias, sister of the King of Spain and wife of Prince Charles of Bourbon.

Maria de la Mercedes, Princess of the Asturias and eldest daughter of Queen Maria Cristina of Spain, was married in the Royal Palace at Madrid February 14 last to Prince Charles of Bourbon. During the six months which elapsed between the death of Alfonso XIII and the birth of the present King Alfonso XIII the Infanta Mercedes was recognized as Queen of Spain, in pursuance of the action of King Ferdinand VII, the grandfather of Alfonso XIII, in setting aside the Salic law. As long as Alfonso XIII is without an heir Mercedes stands next to the throne, and it is not improbable that she may be restored to power, less, indeed, the present dynasty contingency has always been held in view by the nation and its possibilities and has been noted for a bearing a trifle beyond her age. Her son just born may succeed to the throne.

DRY GOODS.

"Keech's Greater Stores"

513-515 Seventh Street.

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TOYS The Biggest Collection At the Smallest Prices.

Here's the first word about TOYS—just to announce our readiness for the biggest and most successful Toy season we've ever had. Such a collection of all that ingenuity could devise and the little ones delight in has never before been made in Washington—the entire fifth floor is given up to the display. Of course, wise buyers for the holidays will make their selections now, while stocks are new and bright and at their best. Here are a few opening specials, just to bring you into the department—

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A few Sizes which we want to close out, and to do so we will sell as follows:

Camel Hair Shirts and Drawers, a few large sizes. Good quality, \$1.00 goods at 75 cents.

Camel hair, good 75 cent goods at 60 cents.

Natural wool, 75 cent qualities, at 60 cents.

Full Line Underwear of all Grades.

FULL LINE

Blankets and Comforts

AT LOW PRICES.

1 Lot American Lady Corsets, Long Waist, \$1.00 Goods, To Close Out 60c. 50 cent Goods at 39 cents.

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